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FM AMEMBASSY RABAT

TO AMCONSUL CASABLANCA

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 5527

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FOLLOWING TEL FROM SECSTATE DTD MAY 12, 75 ACTION CAIRO,
TUNIS, ALGIERS, RABAT INFO PARIS, ANKARA, ROME REPEATED
FOR CASABLANCA ACTION AND DEPT INFO:

QUOTE

UNCLAS STATE 109761

PARIS AND ANKARA FOR DEA, ROME FOR CUSTOMS

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SNAR/EG TS AG MO

SUBJECT: PROPOSED VISIT OF U.S. CUSTOMS OFFICER

REF: STATE A-2665

1. CUSTOMS OPERATIONS OFFICER FRANKLIN KEENAN WISHES TO
VISIT CAIRO, TUNIS, ALGIERS, AND RABAT IN JUNE TO FULLY
ADVISE EMBASSY AND COUNTRY CUSTOMS OFFICIALS OF THE VARIOUS
CUSTOMS TO CUSTOMS PROGRAMS AVAILABLE UNDER CCINC AUSPICES.

2. ITINERARY: CAIRO: ARR SUN JUNE 8 AT 6:15 PM ON TWA
840. LV JUN 12 AT 11:10 AM, TUNIS: AR THU JUNE 12 AT 2:55PM
ON AH 4621. LV JUN 16 AT 4:30 PM, ALGIERS: AR MON JUNE 16
AT 4:35 PM ON LN 311. LV JUN 19 AT 6:00 PM, CASABLANCA:
AR THU JUN 19 AT 7:40 ON AH 4220. LV JUN 20 AT 2:30 PM,
RABAT, AR FRI JUN 20 AT 2:55 PM ON RN 344. (TENTATIVE).

3. FOR YOUR INFO: CUSTOMS HAS NOW TRAINED MORE THAN 2000
OFFICERS AND HIGH LEVEL OFFICIALS REPRESENTING SOME 50
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COUNTRIES. MOST OF THESE WERE TRAINED IN THE CUSTOMS OVER-

SEAS PROGRAM DESCRIBED IN REPAIR. CUSTOMS TRAINING TEAMS HAVE BEEN TO MORE THAN 35 COUNTRIES ALL OVER THE WORLD, INCLUDING SEVERAL ARAB AND EASTERN BLOC NATIONS. MANY COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN VISITED MORE THAN ONCE; NEARLY ALL HAVE REQUESTED REPEAT SESSIONS. COURSE STRESSES NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT TECHNIQUES AS APPLIES TO CUSTOMS OPERATIONS, BUT HAS MAJOR APPLICATION TO REVENUE PRODUCING KINDS OF CUSTOMS WORK AS WELL. TOTAL COST OF OVERSEAS PROGRAM, INCLUDING SIMULTANEOUS INTERPRETATION SERVICES, IS ABSORBED BY CCINC. CUSTOMS IS ALSO INVOLVED IN INSTRUCTOR-TRAINING AND CAN HELP LOCAL SERVICE SET UP OWN PROGRAMS.

4. PLEASE DIRECT REPLIES TO KEENAN, INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS, U.S. CUSTOMS SERVICE ASAP. KISSINGER UNQUOTE.NEUMANN

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